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TELEGRAPHIC.

B. C. ELECTIONS

CONFLICTING REPORTS FROM THE COAST

The Conservatives Are Now Credited With Scoring a Victory.

Winnipeg, Oct. 6.—The latest returns from Victoria, B. C., show that in the province twenty-two Conservatives, seventeen Liberals, two socialists and one labor member have been elected.

Joseph Martin was defeated in Vancouver.

W. B. McInnis is likely to be the new Liberal leader.

DEPOT FOR EDMONTON

EDMONTON GETS MILITARY DEPOT

Calgary Headquarters For the Strathcona Horse—Estimates Passed.

(Bulletin Special Dispatch).
Ottawa, Oct. 5.—OWING TO THE INCREASE OF THE POLICE DUTIES IN THE NORTHWEST TERRITORIES EDMONTON IS TO BE MADE THE CHIEF POLICE DEPOT IN THE WEST, IN PLACE OF CALGARY.

The public works supplementary estimates were considered all day today. The estimates for the public buildings for the Territories were passed, including thirty-five thousand dollars for Edmonton jail.

One item was ten thousand dollars for a barracks for the Strathcona Horse. The minister of militia said that the amount was required for officers quarters for a permanent mounted force to be stationed at Calgary, to occupy the present police barracks.

WEATHER

The disturbance mentioned yesterday is now centered in Saskatchewan. Very strong winds and scattered showers are probable both in the Territories and Manitoba. Winds are now northeasterly in Alberta and will change in Manitoba tonight, Wednesday and Thursday are likely to be cooler.

Winnipeg, October 6th.

THE TROUBLE AT THE SOO.
The trial of the Soo riggers has concluded.

AFTER TICKET SCALPERS.
The Canadian Pacific Railway has decided to prosecute ticket scalpers.

HORRIBLE ACCIDENT.
Mr. V. Scott, a Canadian Pacific Railway brakeman, met a horrible death at Houlton, Manitoba.

DEATHS IN RAILWAY YARDS.
Four laborers were killed in the Southern Pacific yards at Los Angeles.

LAYING DOUBLE TRACKS.
The Grand Trunk Railway will soon have a double track from Chicago to Montreal.

CATTLE MARKET DEPRESSION.
Mr. J. L. Gordon, in an interview tells of the depressed condition of the cattle market.

WEST WILL SURPASS THE EAST.
Mr. F. W. Thompson, of the Ogilvie Milling Company, believes the west will far surpass the east.

AMBASSADOR TO WASHINGTON.
Sir Henry Howard, minister to the Hague, is a favorite for the Washington ambassadorship.

JAPAN TAKES A PLUCKY STAND.
Japan has officially intimated its unwillingness to leave Korea to allow any other power to enter.

BODIES RECOVERED.
The bodies of the Rev. J. A. McLaughlin and party of Indians, who were drowned in Lake Winnipeg, have with one exception, been recovered.

GRAIN QUOTATIONS.
Winnipeg oats, No. 2 white, 31 1/2 cents a bushel.

TEACHERS' CONVENTION

Very Successful Sessions Held in the Queen's Avenue School.

The Seventh Annual Convention of the teachers of Northern Alberta was commenced in the Queen's Avenue Public School, Edmonton, yesterday morning, at ten o'clock. The convention was opened by a few introductory remarks by Inspector Perrett. The President taking the chair, the nomination of committees was proceeded with. The following committees were appointed.

Resolution.—Messrs. D. S. McKenzie, Dwyer, H. H. Johnston, Misses K. Chegwinn and Wilson.

Programme.—Messrs. Thibadeau, W. Res, and Misses Jockell, Pollard and Livingstone.

Finance.—Messrs. Ellis and Tweedy and Miss Battrick.

The president's address was then given.

A paper by Mr. Hogan, Subject, Classification in Schools, was then given. The writer of the paper dealt ably with the difficulties in the way of good classification. Some were, irregular attendance and the presence of foreign pupils. The basis of the division was discussed and opinions quoted for and against the prevailing basis of classification, viz, examinations. While there is a general movement on foot to abolish them, there is much hesitation in view of the fact that adequate substitutes only can be found. The success of teacher's work should not be judged from the success of his pupils at examinations. In the discussion that followed, Messrs. Perrett, Ramsay and Res participated and some features of the Department's present system of examinations were criticized.

The afternoon session was opened at 2 o'clock by Inspector Hoyce, who read a paper on Practical Composition. The inspector's paper was in the main a general treatment, with particular references to the teaching of composition in our schools; the aim of the subject being the cultivation of free and accurate expression. Proceeding he touched upon the general method of the subject, the difficulty of teaching it satisfactorily, the absence of text books and works of reference and the necessity of general improvements in methods. Some methods of correction were proposed and dealt with and the paper was followed by general discussion, in which the difficulty of instructing foreigners in English composition was discussed. Then followed a paper on the Globe by Mr. P. Thibadeau. His treatment of the subject was thorough and exhaustive, and the writer's worthy efforts were rewarded by a vote of thanks.

The meeting concluded with an address by Mayor Short on the subject, The Teacher as a Citizen. During his address the mayor made reference to the responsibility of the members of the noblest profession in molding the future citizen. He attributed the present disadvantages of teachers to the existing system. A vote of thanks was presented to the mayor and the meeting adjourned.

LOCAL

—Military openings today and tomorrow.

—A number of cows, horses and mules are in the pound at Calhoun & Ferguson's barn today.

—Inspector Hoyce, of Calgary, is attending the Northern Alberta teachers' convention now in session in Edmonton.

—The Firth Eaton concert company will appear in Robertson hall Thursday evening of this week under the auspices of Clarke's orchestra. This company comes well recommended.

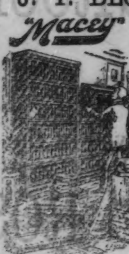
—Good progress is being made in the construction of K. A. McLean's residence, just off Queens avenue, near the new public school.

—Clarke's orchestra is fortunate in securing the services of Mr. Barnett, of Sussex, N.B., Mr. Barnett proposes locating in Edmonton and will open up a studio in the Mendelssohn club rooms at an early date for the study of the violin.

—Fifteen hundred feet of new hose, eight rubber coats, twelve saws, two cutters, three nozzle pipes, two cut off valves, and one hydrant connection have been received by the Edmonton fire brigade. This supply, added to their present equipment, makes it very complete.

—Twiss Bros. steamer "Prospector" is loading with a cargo of furniture for Wilkie & Co., Fort Saskatchewan this afternoon. Few people in Edmonton have any idea of the amount of freight traffic being done by the steamers on the Saskatchewan at Edmonton.

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PERSONAL

C. T. Laird, of Leduc, arrived in Edmonton last night.

J. S. Johnson, of Leduc, arrived in Edmonton last night.

Mrs. J. D. Hyndman will receive on the first and second Wednesdays of the month.

W. E. Langworthy and wife, of Fort Saskatchewan, spent yesterday in Edmonton.

Will Kennedy, of Port Elgin, Ont., arrived in Edmonton yesterday, where he intends to reside in future.

J. K. Smith, who has been student missionary on Stony Plain, has been transferred to the Red Deer district.

Mrs. Wilfrid Gariepy will receive on October 20th at J. H. Gariepy's new house, and not on the 8th, as formerly announced.

Mr. Walter Bearstoe, of the Merchants' Bank staff, Edmonton, returned last night from a two weeks' visit to his home in Wetaskiwin.

Bert Johnstone, of the Merchants' Bank staff, Lacombe, left for the south yesterday morning after a two weeks' visit to his home in Edmonton.

DEATHS

MILLAR.—At the General Hospital, Edmonton, on Sunday, October 5th, Miss Katie Millar, Stony Plain, aged 25 years.

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TUESDAY, OCTOBER 6TH, 1903.

FROM OTTAWA

Bulletin Correspondence.

The redistribution bill received its third reading in the Commons at midnight on Friday. The whole of that day was occupied in a last effort on the part of the opposition to make it appear that the party had been unfairly treated by the majority in the arrangement of the constituencies provided in the bill. It was a somewhat remarkable fact that throughout the discussion in committee of the whole of the redistribution measure, the contentions of the Conservative section of the redistribution committee were not raised by the opposition, who confined themselves to general denunciation. On the third reading yesterday, however, they moved a number of amendments which must be accepted as their responses to the challenge of the government side to give specific instances of unfairness. Just how fair their proposals so voiced were, can be judged by that moved by the leader of the opposition himself that Cape Breton county should have two members as at present, instead of being united with Victoria. Under the Confederation Act Nova Scotia loses two members. The redistribution committee decided that this loss should be apportioned by dropping one member from the double representation of Pictou county and adding Victoria county, which at present has one member, to Cape Breton, which now has two. As the leader of the opposition did not indicate what other portion of the province was to suffer in order that Cape Breton might retain its two members, his motion can only be characterized as clap trap, and entirely unworthy of the position which he occupies or the reputation which he has hitherto maintained. Of like nature was that moved by George Taylor, Conservative whip, that Leeds and Grenville, Ontario, should have three members. And again of similar nature was that by E. F. Clarke, asking for increased representation for the city of Toronto. And of Messrs Hackett and Lefroy of Prince Edward Island, who moved that the island should have six members instead of only four. When it was only on such motions as these that the opposition was willing to challenge the attitude of the government by a vote in the House, it will be seen that they can have very little cause of complaint. Throughout the whole argument the government maintained an attitude of judicial fairness. As Mr. Ingram, Conservative member for Elgin, said, it was this that his side of the house particularly objected to. He did not care so much for what had been done to the disadvantage of the Conservatives, but he did care for the claim made by the government that they had dealt with the matter fairly. This confession and the amendments moved at the third reading of the bill, are as good evidence as is needed to prove that the dissatisfaction of the opposition was not that the redistribution was unfair to them, but that they had not been able to make it unfair to the government, as they had been able to in 1882, when they controlled a majority of the House.

The transcontinental railway bill was on the list for third reading on Friday, but the whole day being taken up by the third reading of the redistribution bill, the railway bill was held over; and in order to prevent its being reprinted with all the amendments, the third reading will not come on until Tuesday.

The bill introduced at an early stage of the session by the minister of agriculture, in regard to the inspection of seeds and seed grain, was withdrawn; but it is intended that it shall be introduced at next session.

September 26th, 1903.

TRADE BETWEEN EAST AND WEST

During the debate in parliament on Wednesday, September 23rd, on Mr. Clancy's motion for delay in approving the scheme of the national transcontinental railway, until complete surveys, plans, and estimates had been secured, Mr. Oliver spoke as follows:

MR. OLIVER. I wish to say a word

as to the facts which appeal to me in regard to the necessity for the early construction of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, in the interests, not of Western Canada, but of Eastern Canada.

Toronto and Montreal are 1,400 miles from Winnipeg by the Canadian Pacific Railway. Chicago is 800 miles and the twin cities of St. Paul and Minneapolis 400 miles from Winnipeg.

Chicago and the twin cities are greater centres of manufactures and commerce than Toronto and Montreal. They are much more conveniently situated as to distance from the Canadian west than are Montreal and Toronto, and their manufactures are specially adapted to the western trade.

Given the same freight rates per mile and the United States manufacturers and commercial houses are in a position to close the Canadian dealer and manufacturer out of the North-west market.

The duties help to balance the difference on freight against the Canadian trade; but in the case of all heavy goods, the difference in freight largely or altogether destroys the advantage which the duty gives.

The Canadian Pacific Railway has a monopoly of the traffic. It is capitalized for \$64,700 a mile. Such a heavy capitalization compels it to take the last cent out of the traffic that it will bear. By a special provision in its charter its rates cannot be brought under government control.

The only possible way of placing the trade and manufactures of Eastern Canada on an equality with those of the United States in Western Canada, is by the construction of another line of railway, which shall give direct connection between all points of trade and manufacture in Eastern Canada and all points of requirement in the west, with a minimum capitalization and government control of rates.

During the past few years the imports of agricultural machinery and other farm requirements, chiefly from Chicago and the twin cities, into the Northwest, has increased much more rapidly than those from Eastern Canada, chiefly because of lower freights. By the time the new transcontinental railway can be completed, the manufacturing and commercial interests of Eastern Canada will have suffered a loss of trade greater than the cost of the railway, unless in the meantime, freight rates are reduced far below their present standard.

Steam threshers made in Minneapolis are placed in Winnipeg for less than one-third of the freight rate charged from Toronto. This rate may be fair enough, based on the mileage, but it does not permit the makers of Canadian threshers to sell in the west at a price to compete with the United States maker.

What is true regarding threshers is true to a greater or less degree of every item of trade or manufacture.

That the rate from Eastern Canada to Northwest points would admit of a substantial reduction is shown by the fact that the rate on binders from Toronto to Vancouver is practically the same as to Calgary, although Calgary has a shorter haul by 643 miles. On buggies the rate to Calgary is \$2.97, and to Vancouver \$2.41 per hundred pounds.

This handicap of high freight rates must be removed or Eastern Canada cannot benefit from the development of Western Canada as it is the wish of all Canadians that it should. It cannot be removed too soon, and under the circumstances as they exist today, it cannot be removed soon enough.

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Fills the bright, clear air of that northern sky like the rush of a falling star;
And the spirit of that great north land, quick awakes from his trance-like sleep,
And he rubs his eyes in a wild amazement, while he breathes out dire threatenings deep.
Then, "Pray, what have we here?" in astonishment great, this fierce spirit
So dreaded cries,
"This adventurous race of strange garb and speech, my rude temper most sorely tries.
And, pray, where are my dusky children gone? Those that well I have loved so long,
And have sheltered safe from the white man's greed by the blasts of my north wind strong;
I have been asleep, so secure I felt, but the white man he sleazeth ne'er,
And has stolen a march while at ease I slept, and is building his city fair;
And now, much I fear he has come to stay, for where'er he does set his foot,
Thence he never goes back, but the more I rave the more firmly he strikes his root.
I respect his 'grit' and must fain retreat to my home 'mid the Arctic snow,
With the only race I can call my own, my true children, the Esquimaux.
As I turn to go, lo! a vision steals on my sight, showing full and clear
All the future grand of these sons of might, these who know neither rest nor fear;
True Canadians they, and they northward press, and wherever they step,
Though few,
Wheatfields smile and dance in the sunbeams' glances, as the north they create anew;
And a clarion note I would sound abroad, as the nations stand wondering by,
"They who conquer me, ne'er shall conquer be, but the world at their feet shall lie."
Edmonton, Alta., October 3rd.

GEO. A. REID,

SUCCESSFUL AT HOME

Tendered the Teachers in the Auditorium of the School Last Evening

Judged from any standpoint, the At Home given to the visiting teachers in convention at Edmonton, by the Edmonton teachers in the Queens avenue public school last night, was a most decided success. The large auditorium of the school was handsomely decorated with flags and bunting. A reception committee at the doors of the auditorium received the guests as they arrived. Too much praise can scarcely be given this committee, for to the cordial welcome they extended to everyone, is due much of the success of the evening. The first part of the evening's program was the choosing of partners for six different promenade. This afforded the teachers, ex-teachers and a number of our townspeople an opportunity to get acquainted with one another.

After the promenades, which were very successfully carried out, a program was given which is deserving of the highest commendation. The program would have done justice to the best travelling concert company that has come to Edmonton. W. Rea, principal of Edmonton high school, acted as chairman, and called on Mr. H. C. Taylor to address the gathering. Mr. Taylor regretted that the chairman of the board, Alex Taylor, was absent, but in the name of the board he extended a hearty welcome to the visiting teachers. He said that if Edmonton would grow as rapidly in the future as it had in the past few years it would be a comparatively short time until as many teachers as were in attendance at the convention, would be required in our city schools. He hoped it would be possible for a very large number of the teachers present to secure positions on our teaching staff. Mrs. Green was then called on for a vocal solo, her rendering of "Sing Me to Sleep," was exceedingly sweet and called forth hearty applause. A much enjoyed instrumental solo by Mr. V. W. Harford, was followed by a song, "Jock o' Hazeldean," by Miss Jessie Potter, Edmonton. Miss Potter sang very cleverly and received prolonged applause. A very humorous recitation by Mr. Gibson was followed by a pretty recited vocal solo by Miss Oliver. This number concluded the first part of the program. The guests of the evening then drew in their chairs to the numerous small tables which were placed about the room, and a dainty lunch was served by the Edmonton teachers. This gave the guests a pleasant half hour for conversation before the program was again resumed. Miss Reisman gave a reading, Overheard at the Telephone, in a very creditable manner. The applause, which greeted this number testified to its clever rendering. After Miss McDougall and Walker rendered some very pleasing instrumental music, Rev. Mr. Rothney was called upon. He gave a brilliant recitation which was received with the heartiest applause and he was compelled to respond to song on excellent solo, after which Mr. Rea, on behalf of the Edmonton teachers, thanked those who had taken part in the program. The national anthem brought the large assembly to their feet and concluded an exceedingly successful At Home.

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The following is a full list of the teachers in attendance:

Ladies.
Misses J. Mahaffy, K. Lawford, N. Pollard, J. Little, A. Willie, L. G. Shaw, T. McEllan, J. Short, Z. Campbell, E. Miller, J. E. Miller, L. M. Osborne, L. McKee, B. M. Baitrick, K. Chegwain, E. Chegwain, A. McCrea, M. C. Barker, E. Hunter, A. V. Jackyll, A. Burnes, E. Watson, M. Deane, M. Livingstone, H. Livingstone, L. Livingstone, S. E. Ferguson, M. E. Wilson, A. Lyle, E. Plewes, E. J. Milne, B. Brown, K. Bargar, F. A. Clarke, G. B. Sutherland, B. S. Asher, E. E. Asher, B. M. Bearsto, E. M. Morson, C. A. Boyle, E. G. McCartney, M. W. Currie, C. E. Heskings, C. K. Blain, G. C. Martin, and Mrs. K. Spackman. Gentlemen.
Messrs. W. Ramsey, E. Richardson, H. G. Saitoun, D. McCallum, J. Spencer, Chas. Brady, Nelson Tweedy, C. W. Richardson, R. B. Ritchie, W. A. Munro, W. J. Weir, G. H. Glover, T. J. Walsh, G. L. Dorland, T. J. Dwyer, H. E. Hay, F. H. Dobson, D. S. McKenzie, O. Walker, M. Capling, M. Easton, E. J. Carmichael, J. S. Wray, G. E. Ellis, P. Monaghan, C. W. Brown, P. H. Thibault, W. B. Webb, W. B. Bartlett, W. Res, R. H. Johnson, D. C. McEachern, J. McCallum, J. S. Currie, R. Fletcher, F. R. F. McKittrick and J. Moran.

CUSTOMS RETURNS.

The customs returns for the month of September show a large increase over those of the same month last year. For purposes of comparison the returns for September, 1903, and September, 1902, are given.

	September, 1903.	September, 1902.
Value of Goods Collected.		
1st Week	\$ 7,278.00	\$ 1,891.82
2nd Week	4,234.96	1,331.82
3rd Week	7,976.00	1,129.07
4th Week	3,398.00	366.40
Total	\$23,986.00	\$4,718.91
Duties of Goods Collected.		
1st Week	\$ 6,865.00	\$ 932.78
2nd Week	1,329.00	331.16
3rd Week	1,890.00	184.41
4th Week	5,751.00	812.76
Total	\$15,835.00	\$2,261.09

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